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In re application of: MARK KROON, et al.

Application No.: 10/748,751

Group No.: 2851

Filed: December 31, 2003

Examiner: Peter B. Kim

Date of mailing "Notice of Allowance
(November 2, 2005), and Base Issue Fee
Due": February 2, 2006

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Title: LITHOGRAPHIC APPARATUS, DEVICE MANUFACTURING METHOD, AND
DEVICE MANUFACTURED THEREBY

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**PETITION FOR WITHDRAWAL FROM ISSUE—ISSUE FEE PAID
(37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c))**

PETITION

1. Applicant hereby petitions for the withdrawal of this application from issue.

PATENT ISSUE FEE

2. The issue fee for this case was been paid on February 2, 2006.

This application has not yet been scheduled to issue.

REASON(S) FOR WITHDRAWAL REQUEST

3. The reason for the request for withdrawal from issue is:

(a) consideration of a request for continued examination under § 1.114.

Further details as to the reason(s) for this withdrawal request are set forth below:

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To submit an Information Disclosure Statement submitting references cited in an International Search Report for a corresponding application that have not previously been considered by the Examiner.

PETITION FEES (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h))

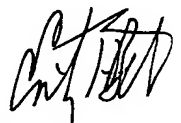
4. The fee set forth in § 1.17(h), required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(a), is paid as follows:

The Commissioner is already authorized to charge the requisite fee in the amount of \$130.00 to Deposit Account No. 033975.

See the attached Fee Transmittal sheet for total fees authorized for this filing.

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